

Arizona Silver Belt

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Ernest Kellner and Miss Willie Kellner left last Sunday for Phoenix to spend the holidays at home.

Col. and Mrs. Lee Crandall took their departure on Monday, after a pleasant visit here of more than two weeks. They expect to make a short stay in California, and then visit New Orleans and other points in the South before returning to Washington.

S. A. Thompson, D. D., superintendent of Methodist missions, filled the pulpit at St. Paul's church at morning and evening service last Sunday. Mr. Thompson is a fluent and forcible speaker and made a most favorable impression on his auditors.

At the Kasser company's camp, Lost Gulch, the thermometer registered 12 degrees above zero Monday morning, and water flowing through the pipe that supplies the mill was frozen for a few hours, but did not occasion any suspension of milling.

Dan O'Carroll arrived yesterday from his mines near Dudleyville, Pinal county, where he has been industriously delving in the ground for many years, and has some very promising copper and gold prospects. Dan is one of nature's nobleman, a good miner and a reliable friend. He returned home today.

The first snowstorm of the season in Globe occurred on Sunday last, and was quite furious for the short time it lasted, although few evidences of it remain in town. On Pinal mountain the fall was quite heavy and stopped wood hauling. The weather has since been very cold and indications today point to another storm.

The rumor is current this morning, and seems to be well authenticated, that the United Globe smelter will be blown in shortly. We were so informed several weeks ago, and know that the company has had an option on the Old Dominion Co's coke for five or six months. It will probably be several weeks before the company will be ready to start up.

Mining companies checks cashed at par for customers, and all deposits with E. F. Kellner & Co. have a discount of "Cash Basis" by having the cashier make checks for cash, and get the cash from the bank, and deposits are received directly for safe keeping only, and all goods sold for cash at only one-half the usual profit price.

The customary Christmas tree entertainment will be held at the M. E. church on Christmas Eve. Two trees will be provided, one for the exclusive benefit of the children of the town, the other for the use of all persons desiring of bringing presents for distribution to their friends. A programme of music and recitations by the children has been arranged. The entertainment will commence at 7 o'clock.

The Globe Commercial Club gave a social on Saturday evening last which was well attended by the members and their lady guests. The evening was devoted to cards and social converse, and excellent refreshments were served. It was one of the most successful and enjoyable entertainments yet given by the club and has encouraged the members to make the social feature more prominent hereafter.

One of the show windows of the Old Dominion Commercial company is attracting much attention. It presents a Klondike scene in which J. H. Thompson and Dr. T. S. Collins figure prominently. Gold nuggets, transmuted from the base ores of Globe district by Dr. Stallo and other local wizards, are scattered around promiscuously. Santa Claus has just arrived over the Chilkoot Pass, minus his pack, looking rather forlorn. Collins and Thompson appear to be taking it easy, dressed in summer garb, notwithstanding the thermometer registers 40 below zero.

There was a rush at the treasurer's office last Monday of people anxious to pay their taxes and avoid the penalty of 5 per cent imposed upon delinquents. Mr. Hitchcock, the efficient treasurer and collector, handled the day's business in good shape and to the satisfaction of the county's patrons. Mr. Hitchcock informed us that a larger proportion of taxes have been paid and as a consequence the delinquent tax list is smaller this year than in any previous year in the county's history. This gratifying result is largely due to the prosperous condition of cattle owners and ranchers.

THE GLOBE MUSIC CLUB Is now thoroughly organized and making excellent progress under the direction of PROF. T. H. NANCE.

Studies for the term: Theory, Solfege and Ensemble. For terms apply to the Commercial Club rooms on Wednesday evening, between 7 and 8 o'clock p. m.

Full line fancy cakes, comprising English fruit cakes, macaroons, butter-scotch wafers, violet bisquit, etc., at Postoffice Sts.

Thomas North and Miss Harriet Cox, two well known young people, who have a large circle of friends in the community, were married recently by Justice Harry Temple. The buzz joins in congratulations.

The United Verde copper company has a new 100-kilo-watt generator, built by the Siemens-Halske electrical company, of Chicago, which, up to the present, makes five dynamos running, supplying power for about 17 motors, besides lighting the mine, smelter and town.—Jerome Reporter.

The board of supervisors on Monday allowed claims for scalps to the amount of \$805, and have about \$100 scalp claims yet to pass upon. Most of the scalps turned in are those of lions, and although the draft on the county treasury is heavy it is a satisfaction to know that these destructive beasts are being thinned out so rapidly on Gila county ranges.

The Jerome Reporter states that plans are being drawn for a two-story stone building, a three-story brick building, and a \$30,000 hotel, all to be built by the United Verde Copper company, which means that Jerome is to be the metropolis of Arizona. When the Deatur Mining company and the Equator mine get to working it will still add to the prosperity of the camp.

A large audience enjoyed the concert given for the benefit of Miss Abigail E. Smith, on Tuesday evening at the M. E. church. Miss Smith was assisted by the following local talent: Mesdames J. A. Lord, W. T. McNelly, L. G. Coombe, H. C. Hitchcock, J. F. Patton, Miss Alice Miller and Messrs. L. L. Rogers, H. C. Hitchcock, W. W. Brookner and Dr. John Collins. The programme comprised many fine vocal and instrumental selections, which were excellently rendered and afforded a rare entertainment.

The board of supervisors met on Monday and appointed Geo. T. Peter, of Tonto, to fill the vacancy existing on the board. Mr. Peter was very strongly endorsed, and while from the standpoint of his own personal interest he has expressed himself adverse to serving the dear people as a county father, the office involving as it does so much responsibility and money, yet it is hoped that he will accede to the wishes of a majority of the heaviest taxpayers in the county who recognize his eminent fitness for the position.

J. H. Crampton, proprietor of the bakery, has on exhibition two fruit cakes, which are to be raffled on Christmas Eve, at 7 o'clock. They were made by Charles Wigham, baker for the establishment, who has no superior in his line. The cakes weigh respectively 35 and 10 pounds and are handsomely decorated, the larger one especially being a creation of the confectioner's art. It is a pyramid in form, beautifully frosted and ornamented. The chances have nearly all been sold; the high throw will take the large cake and the low throw the smaller one.

The Mammoth Mining company, in Pinal county, are working a force of about 20 men enlarging their shaft, making it a double compartment shaft to the full depth of over 600 feet and which will then be sunk deeper. The company has also let a contract to Colorado parties to erect a bucket line, two and three-quarters miles in length, from the mine to the mill on the San Pedro river, and also to repair and enlarge their 50-stamp mill. Large eye-nide works will also be erected to work the tailings, of which there are from 100,000 to 200,000 tons, estimated to contain from \$9 to \$13 per ton gold. The Mohawk company is running steadily with the usual satisfactory results.

Nogales is to have a big hotel, one that will be a credit not only to its enterprising proprietor but the town as well. Col. Bob Williams has, it seems, been operating the Montezuma under a lease, but now he has bought the property and will at once commence its enlargement and improvement. The present Montezuma as it now stands cost the builder \$17,000. It is of dressed stone, three stories high and has a beautiful garden attached. To this now will be added an additional seventy feet frontage. The new building will contain an elegant dining room, capable of seating 100 guests, a bar room and billiard hall and about thirty additional bed rooms. The entire structure will be fitted throughout with all modern conveniences. Tucson will have nothing that can compare with it in the shape of a hotel. The Citizen takes pleasure in congratulating Nogales on its good fortune.—Citizen.

A. E. Kilpatrick, of Fillmore, Cal., had the misfortune to have his leg caught between a cart and a stone and badly bruised. Ordinarily he would have been laid up for two or three weeks, but says: "After using one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm I began to feel better, and in three days was entirely well. The peculiar soothing qualities which Chamberlain's Pain Balm possesses I have never noticed in any other liniment. I take pleasure in recommending it." This liniment is also of great value for rheumatism and lame back. For sale by H. C. Hitchcock, Druggist.

Try Hildrath's molasses candy and salted peanuts. To be had at the Postoffice Sts.

OBSERVATIONS IN MEXICO.

The Beautiful City of Monterey and the Rich San Jose Mines.

SAN JOSE MINE, STATE OF TAMAULIPAS, Mexico, December 12, 1897.

Editors ARIZONA SILVER BELT, Globe, Arizona.—Gentlemen: Leaving Globe on the 16th of November I arrived in Monterey, Mexico, four days later. Monterey is prosperous. Three large smelting works are in operation. One of them is said to be the largest of its kind in the world, having a capacity for treating 1000 tons of ore per day. The works are owned by the Guggenheims, of New York. Here and there a modern red brick structure is to be seen sandwiched in between the one and two story adobe and stone Mexican houses. These Mexican buildings are all smoothly plastered outside and in, and painted in various hues, all very pleasing to the eye. The city is rapidly growing. Her population is now estimated at 75,000. Miles of streets have recently been paved with a hard red brick, which appears to stand the heavy traffic remarkably well. These smoothly paved streets are a joy to the hearts of the wheelers. Monterey is up to date with the wheel. There are bicycles galore here.

The city is beautifully located on a plain right at the base of a range of high precipitous mountains which form a terrace to the great table lands that extend away to the south and west. A marked difference is observed in the climatic conditions between here and Globe. On the Sunday evening following my departure from Globe I sat in the Plaza de Zaragoza listening to the Military band, under a dense green foliage, with here and there an orange tree on which the ripening oranges could be seen glistening under the electric lights, the air warm and balmy as a June evening in the North.

The line is rigidly drawn between the classes here. Two asphalt walks circle the outer edge of the plaza; gayly dressed throngs of señoritas parade around the outer walk, while the poor, ragged peons are kept to the inner walk, in a distinct circle of their own. Should a peon presume to enter the lines of the aristocratic circle he is promptly shown his place by a policeman or others.

After a stay of a few days in Monterey I proceeded to the San Jose mines, 140 miles southeast from Monterey, near the line of the Monterey & Gulf railway, in the state of Tamaulipas. The San Jose gold and copper mines are owned by the Nicholas Chemical company, of New York. They control 5000 acres of mineral land here, all heavily wooded. Six mines are at present being worked within this area. The smelting works are now in successful operation, yielding between one and two tons of bullion per day, value \$300 per ton in gold and copper. The production of the mines is at present limited to the capacity of the plant, about 40 tons per day. These mines were worked by the Spaniards in the early days of Mexico. Numerous old slag heaps are seen through the valley now overgrown with trees and shrubs. Recently three skeletons were found in cleaning out an old stope, no doubt buried there by a fall of ground.

Operations will be carried on on a much more extensive scale next year, both in mining and smelting. Native labor is from 25 cents to 37 cents per day. Coke costs \$12 per ton hauled down at the smelter; freight on bullion to New York \$11 per ton shipped from Tampico on nearest port on the Gulf of Mexico. Wood is abundant, a forest of oak extending in all directions.

San Jose is 3700 feet above sea level. The east winds prevail, bringing in moisture, cloudy weather and rain from the gulf. Shrubs and creeping vines are strongly in evidence of a moist climate. The temperature rarely rises above 90 in the shade, the daily breeze from the gulf cooling the atmosphere. Wild turkey and deer are abundant in the mountains, the woods and under brush affording good cover for game.

I expect to visit New York for the holidays and return here sometime in January. I cannot say when I may visit Globe. It is expected that Black Warrior matters will soon be settled and operations resumed at an early day. I am always pleased to see the SILVER BELT, which follows me here with all the news items about Globe and vicinity. Yours very truly, JOHN S. WHYTE.

Just received, a car of fresh groceries, which I am selling to meet all competition. JAR. F. PATTON.

JUST RECEIVED At the News Depot a large and choice assortment of candy, nuts, cutlery, wall paper, stationery, Mexican and Indian curios, notions, toys and Xmas goods of all kinds. Call and examine. No trouble to show goods at the News Depot.

The Old Dominion Commercial Co. have just opened an elegant line of Christmas goods. Make your selections early.

RACES! RACES!

GLOBE, ARIZONA, JANUARY 15, '98 Free-for-all—One-fourth mile, purse, \$60; entrance fee included. Pony race—300 yards, weight, under 850 lbs.; purse, \$50. Steer tying contest—Prizes and entrance fee not decided upon. For further particulars see next issue of the SILVER BELT, or apply to CHAS. NESBITT, Globe, Ariz.

BOUGHT A RESTAURANT.

A party of convivial spirits, gathered around the board of a down town restaurant Monday night, after exhausting the discussion of national, territorial and county affairs, began to criticize the menu and to instruct the proprietor, a celestial, as to how to run the house. Finally one of the party, in a bantering way, proposed to buy the establishment, and the offer was accepted very promptly. A check and bill of sale of the premises having passed, the purchasers took immediate possession, and proceeded to consume the belly timber in sight, which was not much—only a skillet of fried potatoes. The next morning the recollection of the transaction was a little hazy on the part of the purchasers, but finally realizing they were in for it, they employed a new chef and began business. When the transaction became noised abroad there was consternation among the Chinaman's creditors, who sought to lay upon the property but failed to make the play stick, and the restaurant is still running at irregular hours. The Chinaman views the situation complacently, his creditors are nonplused, and the proprietors are looking for a victim upon whom to unload.

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Notice to Creditors.

Notice of John McGuffigan, deceased. Estate of John McGuffigan, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to said administrator at the Probate office, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said County of Gila. W. D. FISKE, Administrator of Estate of John McGuffigan, Deceased. Dated Globe, the 12th day of Dec. 1897.